

By Clara Inez Deacon

Eunice always dreaded the coming of spring, because there was always the distressing thought that just when all the living world was putting on its bravest and best she must go forth as usual wearing that old black-leg horn hat.

Eunice's mother had bought the hat which was the best of its kind to be had, because it was always her rule to get the best or go without. In vain Eunice begged for cheaper things and the privilege of having them changed occasionally.

Mrs. Lya was English and obtuse. As she had been dressed she dressed her own daughter. The leghorn hat had been turned and twisted and coaxed into some semblance to prevailing modes until Eunice was ashamed to take it to Miss Adams, who was too conscientious to spoil it and thus make necessary the buying of new headgear.

This season the styles were varied and bewilderingly beautiful. Day after day Eunice lingered before the glittering plate glass windows of Miss Adams' millinery parlors whence long ago the black leghorn had come to admirers and yearns and chose with that sickening sense of futility which hurts to the very soul. She knew exactly the kind of hat she wanted, a white horsehair with a froth of wavy plume about the crown. Miss Adams had just such a hat and it was marked \$20. Eunice had not seen the price, but Edith Bennis had. In fact, Edith had tried on the wonderful hat.

"And oh, it's the sweetest thing, really, Eunice!" Edith said. "And I looked well, of course, it's out of the question for me. My mother can't afford \$20 hats, but your mother can. You ought to have it since you want it so badly. And anyway it's time you had a new hat. You must be deathly sick of that old legion."

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Miss Molly Harben had found the park a delightful place in the early forenoon hours. The squirrels were out in full force, every bird had its song, and such people as were about carried good-natured faces. Of all places to finish up the last three chapters of an interesting book the park had the lead.

And little Tot, six years old, Miss Molly's niece, had found the park a regular paradise. A quarter of a mile away Capt. Phil Dayton of the army, who had been invalided home from the Philippines, sat on a selected bench every morning and blessed the park.

"Please, sir, I'm lost!"

Captain Phil had finished his paper and laid it down beside him and was fairly nodding in sleep. He straightened up with a jerk and opened his eyes very wide at sight of the owner of the voice—little Tot. She stood before him with fingers clasped, a very solemn look on her face, and the sunbeam of tears in her eyes.

"I say I'm lost," she repeated, as the captain continued to stare. "Oh, I see," he replied. "You came into the park alone and have not turned around and can't find the way out?"

"No, I didn't come alone. Aunt Molly came with me. I ran away from her and got lost. I've been walking miles and miles, but I can't find her again. She'll be awfully scared."

"And how about you—aren't you scared?"

"Oh, no. I knew I'd find somebody to take me home."

"And what is your name?"

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"You just let this gentleman go," ordered the little girl as she advanced and took the prisoner by the hand.

"I'm sure he didn't intend—intend—" said Aunt Molly, but could get no further.

"And he wasn't trying to kidnap you?" asked the officer of Miss Tot.

"Of course he wasn't! He was seeing home! Aunt Molly, this is Captain Dayton of the army, a perfect gentleman!"

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Broker Banked "Friend's" Check After the Borrower Thought He Had Protected His Money.

"See that heavily built guy who just came in?" said the broker to his friend in the cafe. "You may have noticed that he caught my eye, but passed on without a sign of recognition. Well, he's a promoter. He and I used to be great friends—ostensibly. He rushed into my office one afternoon in a state of great excitement, saying that a little deal he was putting through made \$50 necessary at once, and would I save him a little trouble by cashing a check for the sum. He always seemed to have plenty of money, so I gave him the cash and took his check. I did not see him again soon, and on my depositing the check it came back marked 'No funds.' I looked up his bank, and found he did have a deposit there at one time. I deposited the check again and again it was returned. A week later I tried again, with the same result. More for amusement than anything else, I sent the check to the bank for the fourth time, and this time it went through."

"Soon after that our friend called me up on the telephone, and in the most outraged tone of voice, asks what I mean by taking advantage of him."

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"You are just the floorwalker. I took you for a book clerk, you had such a knowing air. It must be very difficult to know all the authors and the color of the bindings they use. Please direct me to a clerk who will understand what a man like Henry, my husband, would care to read, although I think I shall by 'The Rose-Colored World' for it has such pretty title."

"Thank you. I'll wait for that good-looking young man who is attending to the fidgety old person."

"Yes, Mr. Clerk, I am waiting. I am glad you are ready at last, for I was nearly nodding in sleep. He straightened up with a jerk and opened his eyes very wide at sight of the owner of the voice—little Tot. She stood before him with fingers clasped, a very solemn look on her face, and the sunbeam of tears in her eyes.

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"I'll give you an idea of what I want. I must not be too light and not too serious, nor so interesting that it will offend him. He never has been more indignant had double-crossed him in a straight deal. And that explains why he no longer speaks to me."

"I never have a chance to say a word to him. I get awfully jealous of his books sometimes. Will you?"

"I'll wait until that person stops asking you questions. Some women have no idea of a book clerk's time."

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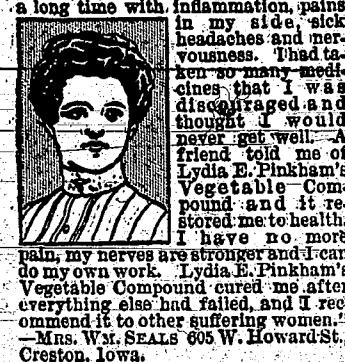
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Improving the Stable

How to Build Sanitary Stalls, Concrete Floors and Otherwise Make the Old Barn More Healthful
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State and city requirements as regards sanitary milk production are becoming so strict that it behoves farmers to continue the slipshod and disease-distributing methods so generally followed in housing the dairy herd. The time has arrived when milk produced for human consumption must be free from disease-producing bacteria. It must not be tainted with filth and therefore must be produced under sanitary conditions.

These restrictions require the general improvement of the dairy barn and stable, not only as regards its proper ventilation and thorough sheltering of the dairy stock, but also to the character of the stable floor, the efficiency of the stalls, the methods used in cleaning the barn. How is the farmer who cannot afford to build an up-to-date, sanitary barn to meet these difficulties?

The initial difficulty which must be corrected in the majority of old and even modern barns is the lack of proper ventilation. The King system of ventilation, devised by Prof. F. H. King, formerly professor of agricultural physics in the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, consists of two sets of flues, one of which admits fresh air while the other furnishes an escape for the bad air. The inlet or fresh air flues should be placed not more than ten feet apart and located in the exterior walls of the barn, the greater the number the more effective the ventilation, since they enable the fresh air to displace the foul air more rapidly. The outlet may include one or more flues, but should be located as to provide the quickest means of removing the foul air.

Fresh Air Ventilators. In the location and construction of the intakes for fresh air it should always be borne in mind that the air should enter at the ceiling of the stable. Then the fresh air entering

portable sanitary stall or stallion is an expensive factory product, while the fact is that any farmer who is handy with carpenters' tools can build a stall which will secure good results as any patented stall upon the market. The stall here described embodies in its construction all of the principles found in any of the patented stalls.

The model stall is a homemade product and it is probably the nearest approach to a perfect stall of any use at the present time. It is constructed, as shown in the figure, so as to force the cow to have her hind feet between the cross-bar and gutter where standing, thus preventing the fouling of the stall by her own droppings. When lying down she is brought forward and compelled to lie in front of the crossbar. The cow is forced to stand back from the hay

will mix with the warm air at the ceiling and become warmed before it reaches to the floor. The flues for this purpose should be air tight and may be constructed of galvanized iron 20 or 22 gauge is preferable, or of matched lumber lined on interior by a heavy grade of tar felt paper such as is used for roofing purposes. Seven-eighths inch lumber should be used and the joints nailed as closely as practical. Then cover with paper followed by a second thickness of lumber. This will insure an air-tight flue if care is taken to break all the joints. Should drop siding or stock boards be used, nail the paper on the siding and then cover it with a thickness of seven-sixteenths inch lumber.

Foul Air Flues. Wrong construction of foul air flues has led in some cases to the failure of the system. They should not be made like an ordinary boxed opening, as some farmers have them, who have condemned the method. The

stall when built should be made to be as straight as possible, or every turn and bend greatly reduces the carrying capacity as it increases the friction of the moving air on the flues. A good ventilating flue should have the same qualities as a good chimney. It should rise above the highest part of the roof, so as to receive the full force of the wind.

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tive to the passage of heat.

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lot 21	5	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lots 2, 3, and 2	5	25	08	01	1 00	1 38
lots 4, 8, 9, 10, 14, 25, 29 and 31	6	29	08	01	1 00	1 38
lot 9	6	11	25	04	1 00	2 44
lot 11	6	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lot 13	6	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lot 19	6	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lot 20	6	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lots 26, 28 and 30	6	44	11	02	1 00	1 57
lot 27	6	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
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lots 40, 41, 42, 43	5	22	1 22	04	01	1 00
and 44, 45, 5	5	1 46	33	06	1 00	2 88
lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16	6	1 46	33	06	1 00	2 88
and 10, 17 to 24 in	6	81	24	04	1 00	2 19
lots 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31	6	1 45	38	06	1 00	2 89
lots 30, 31, 32, 33	6	1 00	26	04	1 00	2 50
lots 34, 35, 36, 37, 38	6	72	19	03	1 00	1 94
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lots 1 to 15 inclu	7	2 17	55	09	1 00	3 82
slive	7	2 59	08	01	1 00	3 28
lots 16 and 17	7	1 48	38	06	1 00	2 92
lots 18 to 25 in	7	1 48	38	06	1 00	2 92

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Block	Acres	Amount of Taxes	Interest	Collection fee	Charges	Total
lot 18	1	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lot 15	1	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lot 16	1	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lots 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 40	1 45	38	06	01	1 00	2 89
lots 48 and 49 and	1	25	08	01	1 00	1 38
lots 47, 48 and 49 and	1	25	08	01	1 00	1 38
lot 31	1	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lots 33, 39, 42 and 43	1	56	15	02	1 00	1 73
lot 37	1	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lot 41	1	17	04	01	1 00	1 22
lots 46, 47, 48, 49 and	1	61	12	06	1 00	3 09
lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 18, 22, 23 and 24	1 27	83	06	01	1 00	2 65
lots 47, 48, 49 and	1	56	15	02	1 00	1 73
lots 32 to 40 inclu	1	61	42	06	1 00	3 09
lots 1 to 19 inclu	1	66	15	02	1 00	1 73
lots 20 and 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 30	1 27	71	11	01	4 54	
lots 32 and 36, 37, 38	1	29	08	01	1 00	1 57
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Remember the entertainment of the Danish Young Peoples Society, at the Opera House tomorrow evening.

J. B. Kiely was in the city Monday, but had but little time for visiting after his business was completed as he had to catch the 2:25 train.

The man who has a bad temper makes it decidedly unpleasant for others, yet after all he is the worst sufferer.

Good resolutions are of no effect unless they are reduced to practice. Proposing and doing are two very different things.

Found, and left in this office for the owner, a new pocket compass, which said owner can have, by paying for this notice, which amount we will give to the boy for his honesty.

The new hospital is nearing completion. The carpenters are practically finishing up, and the painters and plumbers are rushing their work as fast as they can.

Mrs. Olaf Michelson will entertain the Ladies Union, March 10, for work. There is special important business to discuss.

Ladies of the congregation are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ballard arrived Tuesday from Chicago, and will again become residents of Tawas City.

Mr. Ballard resuming his connections with the Herald. Their many friends are glad to welcome them back.

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Rev. R. H. Cunningham, former Pastor of the M. E. Church here, now at Mayville, Tuscola County, was here assisting Rev. Furtach, in their Quarterly meeting, and will remain over Sunday to hold the usual service at the request of many of his old parishioners, with whom he is ever welcome.

Father Reiss, spent Sunday with Father Schueler at Campbells Corners. Mich. Father Schueler is well known here; he has taken Father Reiss' place many times during the past few years. Rev. Schueler is very sick with pneumonia, but Father Reiss reports his condition much improved.

We begin our new continued story this week, entitled "ANNUAL TAX SALE." Every property owner in the County will be interested, and should give it careful reading, to be sure that no description of their land is included. It may save them dollars, as well as annoyance.

Governor Osborn in his talk to the Ladies' Literary Club at Grand Rapids last Saturday came out strongly and flatfootedly for women's suffrage. He declared in his usual pointed

manner that the legislature had made a great mistake in not permitting the question to be before the people for their decision.

F. O. Peck and his two daughters were called to Perry, Shiawasee County, on account of the death of Mrs. Geo. F. Peck of that place, who died of paralysis, after an illness of eight months. The deceased was sixty years of age and leaves her husband and one son in the stricken home.

Michigan is the banner sheet sugar State in the union, and 1910 was the factories paid \$2,000,000 to 35,000 farmers for 1,150,000 tons of sugar, averaging \$70.00 per acre. The average yield being 12 tons, which is more than any previous year, owing to more knowledge and better work.

Mrs. Mathias Horvath, one of our foreign citizens, died last Thursday morning, and was buried from St. Mary's Church last Saturday morning. Father Reiss' conducting the funeral services. Mr. Horvath has been a resident of our town for many years, and has always been a hard-working man. He leaves a wife and two small daughters to mourn his loss. His wife and friends have our sympathy in their loss and sorrow.

Canada is becoming very strict in its enforcement of its right to exclude "undesirable persons" from her dominions. The latest bar to be thrown across the portals applies to negroes—a party threatening to settle in western Canada having been recently turned back. Immigration into Canada is becoming so great that the dominion has the excellent opportunity of picking and choosing from amongst the thousands who apply for admittance.

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Primary Election.

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For Circuit Judge Sharpe, Harrington Beaver Creek 8 0

Frederic No. 1 13 2

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Grayling 115

Maple Forest No. 1 8 0

Maple Forest No. 2 10 0

South Branch 9 0

Total 172 8

Commodore. W. P. 8?

School Notes.

The Basket Ball Boys, Frances Reagan, Clarence Smart, Harry Hill, Will Lander, Clyde Hurn, Lorne Douglas and Tony Nelson have received new sweaters for playing on the team this winter.

The A class of the 6th grade have started product maps of the United States.

The new term has begun successfully.

The eagle is missing from the fourth grade room.

The enrollment of the sixth grade is now forty.

Spring vacation will be the first week in April.

Miss Alta Reagan has been chosen Teacher in Hygiene.

Miss Florence Maxson began school last Monday in the High School.

The new hospital in Grayling will be opened March 15th. The hospital will be in charge of the Sisters of the same order that is in charge of Mercy hospital at Gay City. The Grayling people discussed conducting the hospital themselves, but it was apparent that there would be much more chance for success with the Sisters in charge.

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lots 45 and 46	1	37	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
lot 31	1	56	15	02	1.00	1.73	1.22
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lots 26, 27, 28, 30, 33, 45, 46, 47 and 48	1	45	38	06	1.00	2.89	1.22
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lots 39, 41 and 43	1	44	11	02	1.00	1.57	1.22
lots 40, 42 and 44	1	44	11	02	1.00	1.57	1.22
lot 6	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
lots 7, 16, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26	1	61	26	04	1.00	1.57	1.22
lot 9	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
lots 12 and 14	1	29	08	01	1.00	1.22	57
lot 21	1	29	08	01	1.00	1.22	57
lots 29, 30 and 31	1	44	11	03	1.00	1.57	1.22
lots 25, 40, 47 and 49	1	45	38	06	1.00	2.89	1.22
lot 18	1	56	15	02	1.00	1.73	1.22
lots 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35 and 37	1	35	06	01	1.00	0.56	1.22
lot 30	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
lot 33	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
lots 34 and 38	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
lot 37	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
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lots 34 and 38	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
lot 37	1	17	04	01	1.00	1.22	57
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Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAR. 9

Local and Neighbored News.

Take Notice

The date following your address on this paper shows to what time your subscription is paid. Our terms are \$1.50 per year IN ADVANCE. If your time is up, please renew promptly. A X following your name means we want our money.

All advertisements, communications, correspondence, etc., must reach us by Tuesday forenoon, and can not be considered later.

Call on George Langevin for dry wood, to be promptly delivered.

WANTED—Sewing, quilting, etc.

Mrs. Jos. Wats.

Order your coal of Salling, Hanson Co. Prices low, and prompt delivery.

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Geo. Langevin delivers St. Charles coal at your house. Phone 591.

Bates sells the best Coal.

Let me quote you a price on Royal or Asbestos Roofing, put on, F. R. Deckrow.

Beech and Maple Block Wood for furnaces. Leave orders with SALLING, HANSON COMPANY.

FOR SALE—Four houses in the village of Grayling, for particular see or address T. BOESGN, mar21f

Fine Bathroom Outfit in display window No. 400 Cedar street, F. R. Deckrow.

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Mrs. McElroy is feeling much better again. She is now ready for work. Ladies' come and bring your comb-dugs.

Parties desiring to mate, their breeding hens with a first class Plymouth Rock mate, call on Nels Larson, south side. feb16-56

When you have rheumatism in your feet or instep apply Chamberlain's Liniment and you will get quick relief. It costs but a quarter. Why suffer? For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. Maude Bellmore of Beaver Creek has a fine team which she offers for sale cheap. Address or call, Mrs. Maude Bellmore, Wellington, Mich. mar2f

Gentlemen when you get ready for a new suit, call in and see Satisfaction guaranteed. Shop over Collen's Restaurant A. E. Hendrickson.

FOR SALE—A good six room house and four lots in a good location, and good repair, for \$800.00, a good deal less than the house would cost today, call off or address E. H. WAINWRIGHT.

Mrs. George Larson was called to Detroit last Saturday on account of the serious illness of her niece. At the latest advice there seemed little hope of her recovery.

The most common cause of insomnia is disorders of the stomach. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets correct these disorders and enable you to sleep. For sale by all dealers.

WANTED—50 cords of three foot Beech, Maple and Tamarack wood, delivered at the Court House yard, in time to be at the County Clerk's office. feb2-

FOR SALE—A full line of buggies and harness for sale at my livery barn. A few second hand rigs, and anything you want, new, from the factory. Call and if you do not find what you want in stock, find it in the catalogue. Geo. Langevin. jan26-

I have bought the entire grocery stock of Sills Body, with all store accounts due to him, which are to be paid to me. New stock has been put in, and I am prepared to meet all calls. Come and see me at the grocery store on the south side of the river.

feb22—WALMER JURGENSON.

If you have trouble in getting rid of your cold you may know that there is no reason why a cold should hang on for weeks and it will not if you take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For sale by all dealers.

The Little Guarantee and Surety Co. of Detroit, Mich., is among the strongest in the world. Bonds for Schools, Township, County or state officials, written by them are accepted everywhere, and at so small a cost that no one need be dependent on the kindness of personal friends.

O. PALMER, Agent.

John W. Sicklesmith, Greenish, Pa., has three children, and like most children they frequently take cold. "We have tried several kinds of cough medicine," he says, "but have never found any yet that did them as much good as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." For sale by all dealers.

We have arranged with The Weekly Inter Ocean and Farmer so that our patrons can secure that sterling paper together with our own, at the exceedingly low price of \$1.75 for one year. This is a rare opportunity and should be taken advantage of.

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WANTED—A Laundress at the Russel Hotel.

The mercury registered 10 below zero last Sunday morning, with a high wind and snow.

FOR SALE—Two houses near the South Side Grocery Store. Call on or address, Olson Stew.

Remember the entertainment of the Dauphin Young Peoples Society, at the Opera House, tomorrow evening.

J. B. Kiely was in the city Monday, but had but little time for visiting after his business was completed, as he had to catch the 2:25 train.

The man who has a bad temper makes it decidedly unpleasant for others yet after all he is the worst sufferer.

Good resolutions are of no effect unless they are reduced to practice. Proposing and doing are two very different things.

Found, and left in this office for the owner, a new pocket compass, which said owner can have, by paying for this notice, which amount we will give to the boy for his honesty.

The new hospital is nearing completion. The carpenters are practically finishing up, and the painters and plumbers are pushing their work as fast as they can.

Mrs. Olaf Michelson will entertain the Ladies' Union, March 10 for work.

There is special important business to discuss.

Ladies of the congregation are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ballard arrived Tuesday from Chicago, and will again become resident of Tawas City, Mr. Ballard resuming his connections with the Herald. Their many friends are glad to welcome them back.

Tawas Herald.

Judge Ben Lindsey, the Denver reformer, says, "Beware of the dismally respectable citizen with the immaculate personal habits. Beware of the man who has no small vices. Beware of the person in public life who neither smokes, chews or drinks."

FOR SALE—Thirteen acre building lots, one hundred dollars and upwards. Dwelling house on lots one and two. Young orchard bearing, any one or all lots will be sold. For particulars have a talk with Wright Haven, Grayling, Mich.

The 61st Congress, heedless of one of the most important legislative tasks set before it, come to an end shortly, after noon Saturday. Within the hour following President Taft had issued a proclamation calling the new Congress to meet in extraordinary session, at noon, Tuesday April 1.

Rev. R. H. Cunningham, former Pastor of the M. P. Church here, now at Mayville, Tuscola County, was here assisting Rev. Terhune in their Quarterly meeting and will remain over Sunday to hold the usual service at the request of many of his old parishioners, with whom he is ever welcome.

Father Reiss spent Sunday with Father Schenck at Campbells Corners, Mich. Father Schenck is well known here; he has taken Father Reiss' place many times during the past few years. Rev. Schenck is very sick with pneumonia, but Father Reiss reports his condition much improved.

We begin our new continued story this week, entitled "ANNEX—TAX SALE." Every property owner in the County will be interested, and sufficient care is exercised in reading to be sure that no description of their land is included. It may save them dollars, as well as money.

Governor Osborn in his talk to the Ladies' Literary club at Grand Rapids last Saturday came out strongly and flat footed for women's suffrage. He declared in his usual pointed manner that the legislature had made a great mistake in not permitting the question to go before the people for their decision.

F. O. Peck and his two daughters were called to Perry, Shiawassee County, on account of the death of

Mrs. Geo. F. Peck of that place who died of paralysis, after an illness of eight months. The deceased was sixty years of age and leaves her husband and one son in the stricken home.

Michigan is the banner beet sugar State in the union, and 1910 was the banner year. We made more than 2,000,000 lbs. with California next.

The factories paid \$2,000,000 to 3,000 farmers for 1,150,000 tons of beets, averaging \$70.00 per acre, the average yield being 12 tons, which is more than any previous year, owing to more knowledge and better work.

Mr. Mathias Horvath, one of our foreign citizens, died last Thursday morning, and was buried from St. Mary's Church last Saturday morning. Father Reiss, conducting the funeral services. Mr. Horvath has been a resident of our town for many years and has always been a hard-working man. He leaves a wife and two small daughters to mourn his loss. His wife and friends have our sympathy in their loss and sorrow.

Canada is becoming very strict in its enforcement of its right to exclude "undesirable persons" from her dominions. The latest bar to be thrown across the portals applies to negroes, a party threatening to settle in western Canada having been recently turned back. Immigration into Canada is becoming so great that the dominion has the excellent opportunity of picking and choosing from among the thousands who apply for admittance.

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Primary Election.

The following figures, taken from the official canvass, last Tuesday, show the result by townships in this county and conclusively prove that Judge Sharpe will be his own successor.

For Circuit Judge Sharpe, Harrington	8	0
Frederic No. 1	13	2
Frederic No. 2	9	3
Grayling	115	3
Maple Forest No. 1	8	0
Maple Forest No. 2	10	0
South Branch	9	0
Total	172	8

Commodore—Who are the 8?

School Notes.

The Basket Babes, Mrs. Frances Palmer, Clarence Smart, Harry Hill, Will Lauder, Clyde Hun, Lorine Douglas and Tony Nelson have received new sweaters for playing on the team this winter.

The A class of the 6th grade have started product maps of the United States.

The new term has begun successfully.

The eagle is missing from the fourth grade room.

The enrollment of the sixth grade is now forty.

Spring vacation will be the first week in April.

Miss. Alta Reagan has been chosen Teacher in Hygiene.

Miss. Florence Maxson began school last Monday in the High School.

The new hospital in Grayling will be opened March 1st. The hospital will be in charge of the Sisters of the same order that is in charge of Mercy Hospital at Bay City. The Grayling people discussed conducting the hospital themselves, but it was apparent that there would be much more chance for success with the Sisters in charge. The latter, receiving no pay for labor and other services, but working because their lives have been dedicated to labor among the sick, are able to maintain the hospital when other methods would fail. West Branch Herald Times.

In all likelihood the soldiers' home stead exemption will be repealed during the present session of the legislature. It is claimed by many that it was merely a political measure and had no real value.

Instances have been cited in which the assessment of old soldiers has been raised so that their property would be above the \$1,500 exemption and other cases where it was lowered to come within the privileges of the act.

There are many other reasons why it is thought best to do away with the act.

Veterans of the Civil war who have reached the age of 65 years and over and there are few who have not, will be disappointed by reason of the failure of the senate to pass what is known as the Stolloway bill. It passed the house by an overwhelming majority and was reported out by the senate committee with a slight amendment.

There was no question as to its passing the senate and a vote was reached, but it was knocked out on a point of order raised that it was an attempt to put general legislation in an appropriation bill. Under the existing law there is no rating between the ages of 63 and 69 years, and the Stolloway bill as amended in the senate committee provided for paying out \$15 a month at 62 years; at 65 years \$20 a month, at 70 years \$25 a month, and at 75 years \$30 a month. At the existing mortality rate nearly 40,000 veterans are dying annually, and as the greater number die before reaching the age of 70 years, this additional pension would have made provision

for many in need of the same few remaining years of their lives.

The incoming Congress will have a Democratic majority in the house and will be very close in the senate, the general farming. This property belongs to the estate of Chris Larson, and must be sold. Call on or address P. C. PWTISSON.

feb23—Garyling, Mich.

Notice Patrons.

I hereby announce that I am in the field to take orders for all kinds of nursery stock, for the Poetry Nursery Company, for this spring delivery.

the largest in the world. The most beautiful roses to be had, at very reasonable prices. It pays to hold your orders till late fall.

Respectfully,

feb23—JOHN H. TOBIN.

A Great Opportunity.

For sale—Two hundred acres of land on the south end of Portage lake, the finest location on the finest lake in northern Michigan. Three forties fronting entire on the south lake and two joining on the south lake especially adapted for fruit or general farming.

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Notice to Contractors.

To remodel the furniture store I will receive seal bids up to 2 o'clock p.m. on March 15, 1911, as follows:

Raising of building, carpenter work, marking of concrete, basement, wall and excavation.

For particulars inquire at the store.

feb23—J. W. SORENSEN.

For Sale.

The S. S. of the N. W. 1/4 of section 8, T 28 N of Range 3 West, Crawford County, Mich., 20 acres cleared, good well on the land, hardwood, stump land on main traveled road, 2 1/2 miles from Waters, nice lake, one-fourth mile from land with 100 \$250.00 cash for the same. Call or write.

feb23—ARCHIE HOWSE, Frederic, Mich.

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The regular services at the M. E. church for next Sunday are as follows:

10:30 a.m. Public Service. Subject: "The Good Fight of the Faith Captain."

11:45 a.m. Sunday School.

3:00 p.m. Junior League.

6:00 p.m. Epworth League. Subject: "Nimrod and Dangerous Foes."

Leader, Miss Anna Ivey.

7:00 p.m. Public service. Subject: "Because for Thy sake."

7:00 p.m. Thursday general prayer meeting.

All are invited to attend.

JAMES IVEY, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday, March 12, 1911.

Mid week prayer meeting, Thursday 7:20 p.m.

Preaching at 10:30 a.m. Subject:

"Attitudes Toward Christ."

Sabbath School at 11:45 a.m. A. D. F

Among other things, the automobile has taken a lot of the human race.

As yet, the airplane has not begun seriously to worry the automobile business.

It is better for one's aeroplane to go wrong ten miles from land horizontally than vertically.

A German woman advocates compulsory domestic service for all girls. She must live in the suburbs.

American heiresses when caught very young may be more easily trained by their titled husbands.

Five generals of the Italian revolutionary army have been captured and shot. Presumably the private got away.

Maybe the woman who received coal when she thought she was buying eggs is in luck that it was not dynamite.

Aviator Latham has gone duck hunting in a monoplane. The innovation adds to the undesirability of being a duck.

Fresh air advocates will not be surprised to learn that a hermit who had remained indoors for forty years died of pneumonia.

Paris wants a new law to discourage dueling, the idea being to shed honorary instead of blood when some one has a grievance.

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Possibly the Chicago thieves who were betrayed by the singing of a canary have come to the conclusion that a bird on the dump is worth two in the nest.

Funny the lightning picked out the Missouri statehouse as its objective, when big, tall, glittering rods are up in New Jersey, Ohio, Massachusetts, and New York.

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THE LEGISLATURE AND ITS WORK

THE BRADLEY BRIBERY CASE ENDS WITH A CLOSE-SHAVE VINDICATION.

THE TONNAGE TAX BILL PASSES THE HOUSE, BUT DEATH AWAITS IT IN SENATE.

Various Matters Before the Legislature of Importance and Interest to the Lawmakers' Constituents.

BY L. C. WARD.

Senator Wm. H. Bradley of Greenville was vindicated by the state Senate Tuesday afternoon. He was accused by Sherman M. Townsend of having solicited a bribe of \$75 from Townsend for having secured him a job as assistant sergeant at arms of the Senate. The matter was investigated by a special committee consisting of Senators Miller, Taylor and Watkins and a vast amount of testimony was taken. The committee reported that while all of Townsend's story was not corroborated, the preponderance of the evidence was in support of the charge of Townsend.

The report came up as a special order on Tuesday before a packed house and after a considerable amount of fireworks, the report was adopted, but a resolution offered by Senator Fowle, which declared for the censuring of Senator Bradley, was defeated. The vote was 14 to 15 against. It required 22 votes to sustain the senator. The vote was as follows:

For censuring—Fowle, Freeman, James Lee, Mapes, Miller, Newton, F. D. Scott, G. D. Scott, Snell, Taylor, Vanderwerf, Watkins and Wiggin.

Against censuring—Barney, Conklin, Conroy, Foster, Kingman, Leid, McMurtry, Putney, Rosenblatt, Vaughan, Walter, Weber, Ward and White.

In the debate Senators McMurtry and Collins led the fight for Bradley, while the opposition was led by Senators Fowle and Lee.

Tonnage Tax Bill Passed.

Persistence is its own reward. The tonnage tax has passed the House. The vote was 30 to 31 and the fight was a hot one, but the bill has been sent on its way to the Senate, where

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Providing for forest reserves in the southern Appalachian and white mountains.

Superintendent of public instruction.

Providing for the purchase of territory of embassies, legation buildings.

Provision of \$4,000,000 for the fortification of the Panama canal.

Reciprocity, the final session of the 51st Congress.

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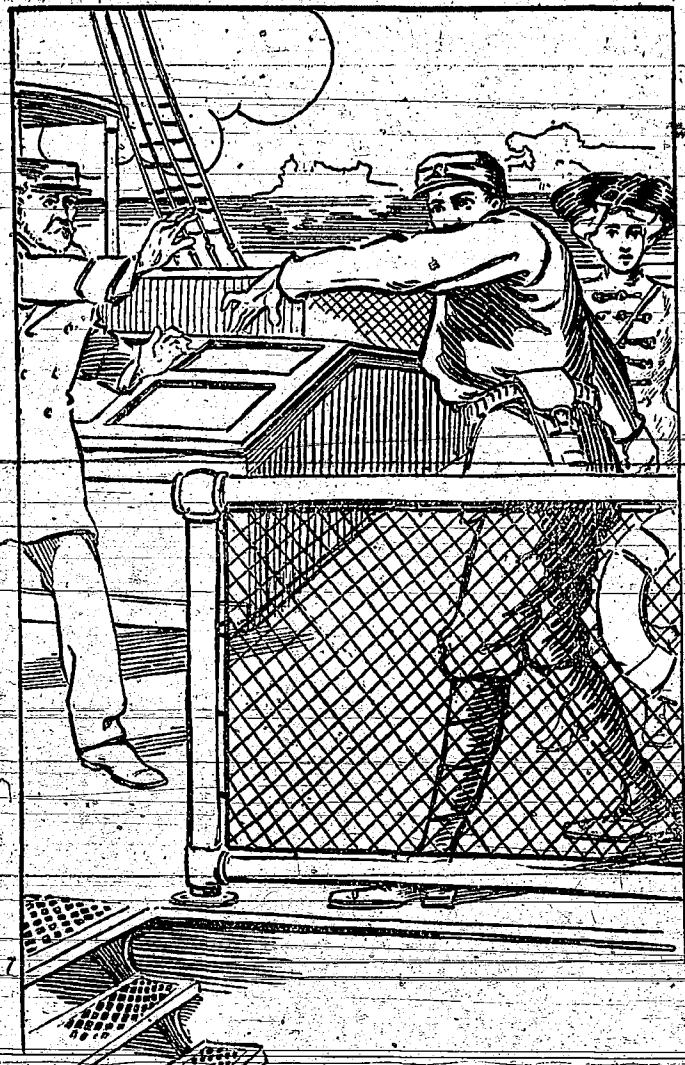
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HENRY KETCHILL WEBSTER
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ed high to. Don't you see? Isn't it
tender-hearted, and we'd been about
half quarreling all day, and I didn't
feel quarrelsome any more, and I
thought my big brother's hand would
feel well-grasped and comforting,
you know.

"It's quite clear that the brains of
this expedition are in that pretty
head of yours," he said. "Yes, I
think you're right." Then, after a
pause, he added, with an enigma: "Look at her! Don't be too hard on
Tom, my dear, because you see the
circumstances are hard enough on
him already."

She made a little gesture of impatience.
"They're not half as hard
on him as they are on Mr. Cayley."

"Oh, I don't know," the old gentleman
answered. "Take it by and
large, I should say that Cayley was
playing in luck."

CHAPTER VI. Tom's Confession.

At intervals during the day those
enigmatical words of Mr. Fanshaw's
recurred to the girl with the reflection
that they wanted serious thinking
over, at the first convenient opportunity. Till the day wore away and
the opportunity did not appear.

The captain of the yacht, his name
was Warner—was on shore in command
of the searching party, but the
first officer, Mr. Scales, remained on
board. He was in possession of all
the data, though they had not told him
the story of Philip Cayley's old relation
with the murdered man.

"It stands to reason," he said, "that
the only party of white men that could
be here would be the survivors of the
yachting expedition. We know from
the news that young Mr. Fanshaw
brought aboard that there is one such
survivor here. If there were any
considerable number of them left,
able-bodied enough to walk across the
glacier, we could be sure they'd be
here on the shore waiting for us. We
would be certain they would have
made some attempt to signal us as
soon as they sighted us."

"I can never explain that now," he
said, "can never lay that phantom,
never in the world."

"I am sorry," she said holding out
her hand to him, "I wish you'd give
me a chance. Goodby."

Thus he took the hand, bowed
over it and passed it lightly to his
lips. Then, without any other fare-
well than that, he dropped down into
the dinghy and was rowed back to the
line, back to his wings.

When she returned to the deck she
found that Mr. Fanshaw had gone
around to the other side of it to see
the sky-man take to the air.

By four o'clock he had decided

that, whether or not the sky-man's

story might be true, it was high time
to send a relief party ashore to find

the lost ones.

At five o'clock accordingly, the re-

lief party went ashore, and Tom

Fanshaw and the girl were left alone
on the yacht.

Two hours later, perhaps, after they
had eaten the supper which Jeanne
had concocted in the galley, they sat
side by side, in their comfortable deck
chairs, gazing out across the ice-floe.

The evening was unusually mild, the
thermometer showing only a degree or

two below freezing, and here in the
ice of the deckhouse they hardly
needed their furs.

They had sat there in silence a long
while. Tom's promise that they would
keep a brisk lookout against a pos-
sible attack on the yacht had passed
utterly from both their minds. It
was so still—so dead still, the world
about them was so utterly empty as
to make any thought of such an at-
tack seem preposterous.

Finally the girl seemed to rouse her
self from the train of thought that
had preoccupied her mind, straighten-
ed up a little and turned for a look
into her companion's face. But this
little movement of her body failed to
rouse him. His eyes did not turn to
meet hers, but remained fixed on the
far horizon.

A moment later she stretched out a
hand and explored for his beneath the
great white bear-skin that covered his
body. He winced at it, and reddened,
then, in a voice that sounded curiously
thick to her, curiously unlike his
own, he asked a question: "If I had
told you all this a month ago, would
you have told me about it in this way?"

"Don't talk like that, Tom," she said.
"I'm glad you told me about it in this
way, but you're not the only brother I
ever had."

"I'm getting worried about our
shore party," she remarked, as if by
way of discontinuing the quarrel. "If
there are ten or twelve men living
there, in hiding from us, willing to do
unprovoked murder, when they can
with impunity."

"So you believed that part of the
story, too, did you?" Tom interrupted.

"I might have saved him," he mur-
mured brokenly. "If I had not hung
aloft there too long, just out of cur-
iosity; if they had been men to me
instead of puppets. But when I
guessed what their intent was, I
was done before I could interfere. I saw
him going backwards over the brink
of a fissure in the ice, tugging at a
darn that was in his throat. And
when they had gone—his murderer-

"They?" she cried. "Was there
more than one?"

"Yes," he said, "there was a party.
There must have been ten or twelve
at least. When they had gone I flew
down and picked up that darn, which
one of them had dropped. And to
think I might have saved him!"

Her hand still rested on his arm.
"I'm glad you told me about it," she said. She
felt the arm stiffen suddenly at the
sound of Tom Fanshaw's voice.

"Jeanne, take your hand away! Can
you touch a man like that? Can you
believe the lies?" but there, with a
peremptory gesture, his father si-
tenced him.

But even he exclaimed at the girl's
next action; for she stooped, picked up
the blood-stained darn which lay at
Philip Cayley's feet and handed it to
him. "Throw it away, please," she
said. "Overboard, and as far as you
can."

Even before the other man cried
out at his doing, the thing she had
asked him to, he hesitated and looked
at her in some surprise.

"Do it, please," she commanded; "I
ask it seriously."

Tom Fanshaw started out of his
chair, then, as an intolerable twinge
from his ankle stopped him, he
dropped back again. His father moved
quickly forward, too, but checked him-
self, the surprise in his face giving
way to curiosity. At a general thing,
Jeanne Fielding knew what she was
about.

Philip Cayley took the darn and
threw it far out into the water.

There was one more surprise in
store for the two Fanshaws. When
Cayley, without a glance toward either
of them, walked out on the upper
landing of the accommodation ladder,
the girl accompanied him, and, side
by side with him, descended the little
stairway, at whose foot the dinghy
waited.

"You are still determined on that
resolution of yours, are you, to aban-
don us all for the second time—all
humankind, I mean? This later accu-



His Eyes Did Not Turn to Hers, But Remained Fixed.

Particularly the Ladies.

Not only pleasant and refreshing to
the taste, but gently cleansing and sweet-
ening to the system, Syrup of Figs and
Elixir of Senna is particularly adapted
to ladies and children, and beneficial in
all cases in which a wholesome, strength-
ening and effective laxative should be
used. It is perfectly safe at all times and
dispels colds, headaches and the pains
caused by indigestion and constipation so
promptly and effectively that it is the one
perfect family laxative which gives satis-
faction to all and is recommended by
millions of families who have used it and
who have personal knowledge of its ex-
cellence.

Its wonderful popularity, however, has
led unscrupulous dealers to offer imita-
tions which act unsatisfactorily. There-
fore, when buying, to get its beneficial
effects, always note the full name of the
Company, California Fig Syrup Co.,
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package of the genuine Syrup of Figs
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For sale by all leading druggists. Price
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The entire object of true education
is to make people not merely do the
right thing, but enjoy the right thing.
Ruskin.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated,
easy to take as candy, regulate and invig-
orate stomach, liver and bowels. Do not
grind.

A Way of Getting Even.

Tewitt—When I asked the old man
for his daughter's hand he walked all
over me.

Jewett—Can't you have him arrested
for violation of the traffic regula-
tions?

THE YOUNG BRIDE'S
FIRST DISCOVERY

Their wedding tour had ended, and
they entered their new home to settle
down to what they hoped to be one long
uninterrupted blissful honeymoon.

Soon began, when she tried to reduce the
cost of living with cheap big-corn baking
powders.

She soon discovered that all she got
was a lot for her money, and was not
making powder for the bulk of it.
She soon found out what was the
secret of the baking powder.

Cheap baking powders often leave
a bad taste in the mouth, and are
leavening power.

Such powders will not make light,
wholesome food. And because of the
absence of leavening gas, it requires from
two or three times as much to raise cakes
or biscuits as it does of Calumet Baking
Powder.

Thus eventually, the actual cost to
young brides buying powders, is more
than Calumet would be.

Cheap baking powders often leave the
bread bland and acid, sometimes yellow
and alkaline, and often unpalatable.

They are not always of uniform strength.

Now the bride buys Calumet—the per-
fectly wholesome baking powder, moderate
in price, and always uniform and reliable.

Calumet keeps indefinitely, makes
cooking easy, and is certainly the most
economical after all.

FEARED THE SCREECH OWL

Woman Was Not Superstitious, but
She Cut Short Her Visit to
the Country.

"I'm not a bit superstitious, not in
the least bit, but I don't ever want to
hear another screech owl in the
night," said a woman who remained in
the country until the holidays. "Pos-
itively I believe I should go mad if I
ever heard that blood-curdling sound
again."

"You know they say in the country
that if a screech owl comes crying
around the house it's a sure sign of
death. Of course, I've no faith in
that sort of nonsense, but all the same
the coachman's mother died after the
owl's first appearance."

"The owl came back and one of the
employees died. It came back again
and I decided that, after all, I didn't
want to spend Christmas in the coun-
try and lighted back to town. The
coachman said something about 'the
old rule,' and I just naturally packed
up my duds and bought a ticket for
New York."

"Iigh—ligh—ligh—now whenever
I hear of that owl in the apple tree."

Down With 'Em.

Young Lord Fairfax, in a brilliant
after-dinner speech, in the club house
in Tuxedo, praised women.

"Down with the misogynist," said

Lord Fairfax, "Down with the cyni-
cal type of male brute who says with
the Cornish fisherman:

"Wimmen's like blackbirds. When
em's bad, em's bad, and when em's
good, em's only middlin'."

HONEST CONFESSION
A Doctor's Talk on Food.

There are no finer set of men on
earth than the doctors, and when they
find they have been in error they are
usually apt to make honest and manly
admission of the fact.

A case in point is that of a practi-
tioner, one of the good old school, who
lives in Texas. His plain, unvarnished
tale needs no dressing up:

"I had always had an intense pre-
judice, which I can now see was unwar-
ranted and unreasonable, against all but
muchly advertised foods. Hence, I
never read a line of the many ads of
Grape-Nuts, nor tested the food till
last winter."

"While in Corpus Christi for my
health, and visiting my youngest son,
who has four of the rudest, health-
est little boys I ever saw, I ate my
first dish of Grape-Nuts food for sup-
per, with my little grandsons."

"Having bought a dog that he ad-
mired, a Washington Heights man un-
dertook to buy a dog collar. The dog
had a neck nearly as big as his head,
and the dealer advised the man to buy
two collars.

"What for?" said the man. "He's
got only one neck, so I guess he can't
get along with only one collar, can he?"

"Maybe so," said the dealer. "But
the man went away leading his dog
by his new collar and chain."

"In less than a week he brought the
dog back."

"I'm afraid I can't keep him," he
said. "He is too obstreperous. I can't
keep him tied up. His neck is the
biggest part of him and he is as strong
as an ox, therefore it is a sinch for
him to slip his collar off."

"That is why I wanted you to take
two collars," said the dealer. "Put
both on and fasten the chain to the
back collar and he can tug away at
night without getting loose. He may
commit suicide, but he won't get
loose."

"There is no other food that agrees
with me so well, or sits as lightly or
pleasantly upon my stomach as this does."

"I am stronger and more active
since I began the use of Grape-Nuts
than I have been for 10 years, and
am no longer troubled with nausea
and indigestion." Name given by
Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in pgs. for the famous little
book, "The Road to Willowville."

"There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new
one appears from time to time. They
are genuine, true, and full of human
interest.

Adam Was Real Gentleman

Crawford prints the words "to be with
me" in large, resonant capitals,
feeling that they reflect credit upon
Adam.

You see what the father of the race
was driving at. Required to plot be-
tween Paradise without Eve and
without Paradise, he stuck out for
Eve. He was a gentleman. Had he
been a sneak, he would have argued
that he never meant to marry Eve, but

was impaled upon, owing to inexperience.
Perhaps you recall that his
acquaintance among girls had been
rather limited. The first one he saw
caught him. Thus, he might have
bogged the Judge to get him free, cit-
ing as precedents the affairs of the
young gentleman who took part in ob-
rades. Said this delightful youth: "I
don't tell you what, Miss Bantnor, well
not 'Paradise Lost.' I'll propose; you
reject me; they'll never guess it." Any
judge unable to appreciate the ap-
petiteness of the citation and its ar-

gumentative potency might as well re-
ply to the genalogist: "Go as far as
you like!"—Clerk of the Day in Bos-
ton Transcript.

Night.
Along the high-hedged lane John
Strong swung, the June gloaming
deepening into night. He loved to
show his face into the night; he
gloried in the uncertainty of night,
the indefiniteness of night, and his
soul cried back a wild answer to the
cry of the nighthawk and the owl.
Night is more primitive than day,

night is more calamitous, night is a
true aborigine. Day has taken on civiliza-
tion; night burl's the world back to
the day of the war-club, the flint-
arrowhead, the painted visage, John

Strong loved the night with an
almost malevolent love. In the night
he could hear the Valkyries screaming,
the witches riding their broom-
sticks, the ghouls scraping the cold
soil off the new-buried coffin. John
Strong swung along, his face set to
meet oncoming night—Adventure.

THE LEGISLATURE
AND ITS WORK

Among other things, the automobile has taken a load off the Humane society.

As yet, the aeroplane has not begun seriously to worry the automobile business.

It is better for one's aeroplane to go wrong ten miles from land horizontally than vertically.

A German woman advocates compulsory domestic service for all girls. She must live in the suburbs.

American heiresses when caught very young may be more easily trained by their titled husbands.

Five generals of the Haitian revolutionary army have been captured and shot. Presumably the private got away.

Maybe the woman who received coal when she thought she was buying eggs is in luck that it was not diamonds.

Aviator Latham has gone duck hunting in a monoplane. The innovation adds to the undesirability of being a duck.

Fresh air advocates will not be surprised to learn that a hermit who had remained indoors for forty years died of pneumonia.

Paris wants a new law to discourage dueling, the idea being to shed oratory instead of blood when some one has a grievance.

The enterprising journalist will see to it that the hope-diamond keeps true to its traditions in the matter of worrying its owners.

Possibly the Chicago thieves who were betrayed by the singing of a canary have come to the conclusion that a bird on the dump is worth two in the flat.

Funny the lightning picked out the Missouri statehouse as its objective when big, tall, glittering rods are up in New Jersey, Ohio, Massachusetts and New York.

One of the scientists predicts that the women of the future will be bald-headed. Pshaw! He is dreaming. If women are bald-headed, how could they use bathtubs?

The Montana bride who had never spoken to her prospective husband until a few minutes before the marriage ceremony will probably have up to her lack of loquacity.

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Various Matters Before the Legislature of Importance and Interest to the Lawmakers' Constituents.

BY L. C. WARD.

Senator Wm. H. Bradley of Greenville was vindicated by the state Senate Tuesday afternoon. He was accused by Sherman M. Townsend of having solicited a bribe of \$75 from Townsend for having secured him a job as assistant sergeant at arms of the Senate. The matter was investigated by a special committee consisting of Senators Miller, Taylor and Watkins and a fair amount of testimony was taken. The committee reported that while \$75 Townsend story was not corroborated, the preponderance of the evidence was in support of the charge of Townsend.

The report came up as a special order on Tuesday before the Senate and after a considerable amount of brawling the report was adopted, but a resolution offered by Senator Powle which decapitated the seating of Senator Bradley was defeated. The vote was 44 to 15 against. It required 22 votes to unseat the senator. The vote was as follows:

For unseating Fowle, Freeman, James, Lee, Lampert, Miller, Newell, F. D. Scott, C. G. Scott, Snell, Taylor, Vanderveer, Watkins and Wilson.

Against unseating Barnaby, Collier, Conley, Foster, Kineman, Ladd, Nelson, Novotny, Putney, Rosenkrans, Vanaman, Walker, Wetzel, Ward and White.

In the debate Senators Moriarty and Collins led the fight for Bradley while the opposition was led by Senator Fowle and Lee. The Senate committee on military affairs is preparing to introduce a bill similar to the ones which Representatives Stewart and Gansser put in the House for reorganizing the National Guard in conformity with the recommendations of the governor. The House committee took action on the bill in the near future. Members of the Senate committee wish to get the matter off their hands as soon as possible so that the changes can be made without a long delay, and they are about through waiting for the House to pass the bill.

TONNAGE TAX BILL PASSED.

Persistence is its own reward. The tonnage tax has passed the House. The vote was 55 to 37 and the fight was a hot one, but the bill has been sent on its way to the Senate, where it is expected to be killed. The Senate has been fighting for the measure for the past three sessions and this is the closest the rural members have come to making it a law. The situation was complicated in the House by the fact that a number of the members only voted to bring it out of the committee of the whole for the purpose of putting it over on report on the matter and when the speaker was absent when the vote was taken.

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Senator Miller's trade regulation bill will make it much more expensive hereafter to separate grades than heretofore. Under the present law only abutting property owners are entitled to damages. Miller's bill provides that damages may be claimed upon the theories of Dr. Freud, a Vienna specialist. Hysteria, neurasthenia and other nerve diseases may often be traced, it is asserted, by studying the patient's subconscious mind in the dream state.

Rep. Fisk has introduced a resolution in the House endorsing the idea of reciprocity with Canada and urging the Michigan delegation in congress to support the Bennett bill proposed for this.

The junket, a matter which has disturbed the House during the session so far is on. After overruling the speaker the House voted to allow all its committees to make trips to the several institutions at week ends. Next day the House voted to prolongate the week ends by adjourning Thursday afternoon. So they're off.

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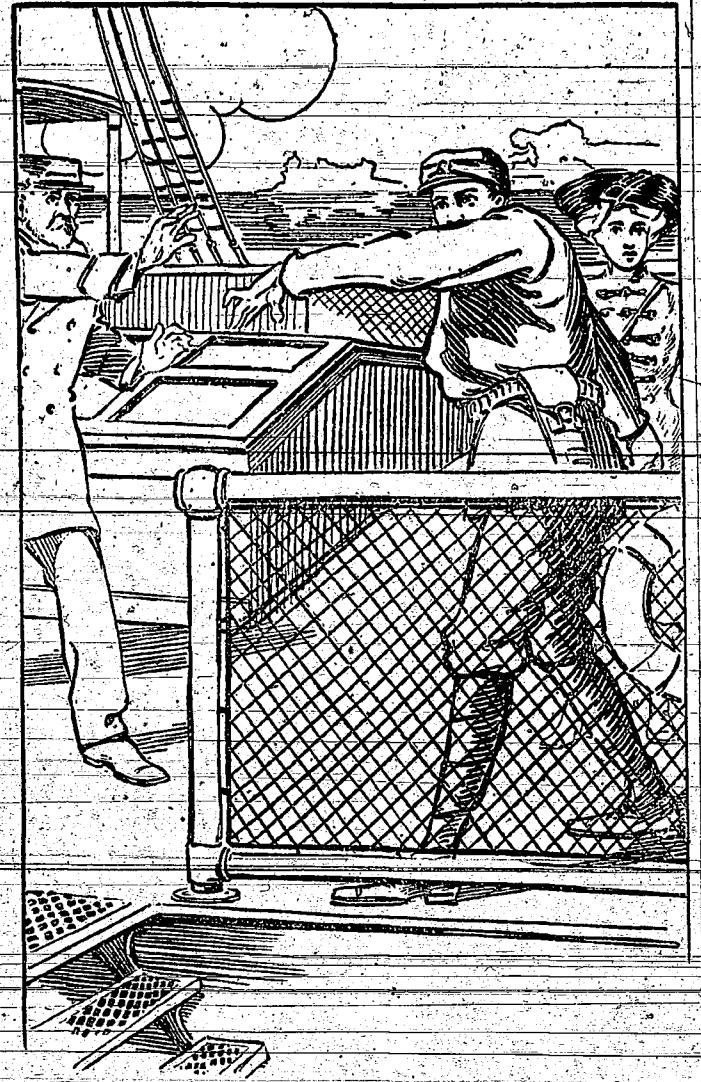
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Threw It Far Out Into the Water.

The SKY-MAN

HENRY KELCHILL WEBSTER
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ed him to. Don't you see? Isn't it clear?"

"It's quite clear that the brains of this expedition are in that pretty head of yours," he said. "Yes, I think you're right." Then, after a pause, he added, with an enigmatical look at Jerry: "Don't be too hard on Tom, my dear, because you see the circumstances are hard enough on him already."

She made a little gesture of impatience. "They're not half as hard on him as they are on Mr. Cayley."

"Oh, I don't know," the old gentleman answered. "Take it by and large, I should say that Cayley was playing it lucky."

CHAPTER VI. Tom's Confession.

At intervals during the day those enigmatical words of Mr. Fanshaw referred to the girl with the reflection that they wanted serious thinking over, at the first convenient opportunity. But the day wore away and the opportunity did not appear.

The captain of the yacht—his name was Warner—was on shore in command of the searching party, but the first officer, Mr. Scales, remained on board. He was in possession of all the data, though they had not told him the story of Philip Cayley's old relationship with the murdered man.

"It stands to reason," he said, "that the only party of white men that could be here would be the survivors of the Fledgling expedition. We knew from

the news that young Mr. Fanshaw brought aboard that there is one such survivor here. If there were any considerable number of them left, able-bodied enough to walk across the glacier, we could be sure they'd be here on the shore waiting for us. We give us a chance to disbelieve the old story, too."

"I can never explain that now," he said, "can never say that phantom, never in the world."

"I am sorry," she said holding out her hand to him, "I wish you'd give us a chance. Goodby."

This time he took the hand, bowed over it, and pressed it lightly to his lips. Then, without any other fare-well than that, he dropped down into the deck and was rowed back to the ship.

When she returned to the deck she found that Mr. Fanshaw had gone around to the other side of it to see the sky-man take to the air.

By four o'clock that day he had decided that, whether or not the sky-man's story might be true, it was high time to send a relief party ashore to find the lost ones.

At five o'clock accordingly, the relief expedition went ashore, and Tom Fanshaw and the girl were left alone on the yacht.

For the first time that she could remember, he was regarding her with open anger. "I know," he said, "that you never liked Hunter, though I never could see why you should dislike him; and it didn't take two minutes to see that this man Cayley, with his wings and his romance, had fascinated you. But in spite of that, I thought you had a better sense of justice than you showed just now."

She flushed a little. "My sense of justice seems to be better than yours this morning, Tom," she answered quietly. Then she unslung her binoculars again and, turning her back upon him, gazed out over the shoreward.

"I am getting worried about our shore-party," she remarked, as if by way of disinterring the quarrel. "If there are ten or twelve men living there, in hiding from us, willing to do unprovoked murder, when they can with impunity—"

She had heard that part of the story, too, did you?" Tom interrupted.

She did not answer his question at all, but turned her attention shoreward again.

A moment later she closed her binoculars with a snap, and waited around to the other side of the deck, where Mr. Fanshaw, leaning his elbows on the rail, was looking out across the ice.

"Well," he asked briskly, as she came up and laid an affectionate arm across his shoulder, "I suppose you've been falling Tom why you did it?"

"I'm afraid he'll have to tell me, too. I can't figure it out. You had something in mind, I'm sure."

"I haven't been telling Tom," she said. "He doesn't seem in a very reasonable mood this morning. But I did have something in mind. I was proving that Mr. Cayley couldn't possibly be the man who had committed the murder."

"I suspected it was that," he said. "It's the sick that proves it really," she said. "You remember how puzzled you were because the end of it which you had by wouldn't fit your hand? I discovered why that was when you sent me in to get it a short while ago. It's a left-handed stick. It fits the palm of your left hand perfectly. You'll find that it's so when you try it. And Mr. Cayley is right-handed."

The old man nodded rather dubiously. "Cayley may be ambidextrous, for anything you know," he objected.

She had her revolver ready. "But this stick, Uncle Jerry, dear, was made for a man who couldn't throw with his right hand, and Mr. Cayley can. He did it perfectly easily, and without suspecting at all why I want

what I imposed upon, owing to inexperience. Perhaps you recall that his acquaintances among girls had been rather limited. The first one he saw caught him. Thus, he might have begged the Judge to set him free, citing as precedent the affair of the young gentleman who took part in the adventure. Said this delightful youth: 'Tell you what, Miss Benthorne, we'll not 'Paradise Lost.' I'll propose; you reject me; they'll never guess it.' Any judge unable to appreciate the appropriateness of the citation and its ar-



His Eyes Did Not Turn to Hers, But Remained Fixed.

toys. I have for you—the old love, or not. 'Tain't bad unless you're very careful. You'll succeed in doing it. I don't

think I want to talk to you any more now, not even sit here beside you. I'm going to take a little walk."

He held himself rigidly until till she had disappeared round the end of the deckhouse. Then he bent over and buried his face in his hands.

What the thing was that roused him to his present surroundings he never knew. He was conscious of no sound, but suddenly he sat erect and stared about him in amazement. It had grown quite dark. It must be two or three hours since Jeanne had left the chair beside him and announced that she was going to take a little walk.

He spoke her name, not loudly at first, for he thought she must be close by. But the infinite silent spaces seemed to absorb the sound of his voice. There was no sign that any sentient thing, except his very self, had heard the words he uttered. Then he called louder.

The steps were rather difficult to negotiate, but by using both hands to supplement his one good foot, he succeeded in creeping down them, and then in making his way along the corridor to the girl's door.

Slowly her color mounted until she felt her whole face burning. "I didn't know," she said. "You shouldn't have let me go on thinking—"

"I didn't know myself until today," she interrupted her stormily. "I didn't know I knew that. But when I saw you put your hands on that villain Cayley, I wanted to kill him, and that same day I knew why I wanted to."

He spoke her name, not loudly at first, then louder, and finally cried out her name again, this time in genuine alarm. He tried the door, found that it was not locked, and opening it and switching on a light, perceived that the state-room was empty.

He heard footsteps crossing the deck-overhead. No, that could not be Jeanne. It was a heavy tread, a curious shuffling tread.

He closed the door behind him. Then he limped slowly down the corridor toward the foot of the companionway. The heavy tread was already descending the stairs.

He turned the corner, stepped short, and gasped. And that was all. There was no time even for a cry. He had caught one glimpse of a monstrous figure clad in skins, huge in bulk, hairy-faced like a gorilla.

And then the man or beast had with bestial quickness, lifted his arm and struck. And Tom Fanshaw dropped down at his feet, senseless.

CHAPTER VII.

The Rosewood Box.

On the girl, Tom Fanshaw's passionate, stormy avowal had the effect of a sort of moral earthquake. It left the ground beneath her feet suddenly unstable and treacherous; it threatened to bring down about her ears the whole structure of her life. The very

thing she had relied upon for shelter and security against outside troubles and dangers, was, on the instant, fraught with greater danger than any of them.

For the first few moments after his avowal she had felt no emotion other than that of astonishment and incredulity. Even when he asked her if she could not marry him, anyway, though the question revolted her, she told you all this a month ago—told you how I felt toward you, and asked you, loving me the way you do, to marry me just the same, would you? Oh, I suppose you would have refused. But would you have shuddered and shrunken away from me—like that?"

"Did I shudder and shrink away?" she asked. "I didn't know it. I wasn't angry; I'm not now. But—but that was a terrible thing you asked of me."

"Would it have struck you as horrible," he persisted, "if I had asked it a month ago?"

"Perhaps not," she answered thoughtfully. "I've changed a good deal in the last month—since we sailed away from San Francisco and left the world behind us—our world—and came out into this great white empty one. I don't know why that is." "I know." He was speaking with a sort of brutal intensity that startled her. "I know. It's not in the last month you've changed; it's within the last 24 hours; it's since you saw and fell in love with that murderous lying brute of a Cayley."

"I don't know," she said very quietly, "whether you're trying to kill the

night is more calamitous, night is a saving, night everywhere is the true aborigine. Day has taken on civilization; night hurla the world back to the day of the war-club, the first forehead, the painted visage. John Strong loved the night with an almost malevolent love. In the night he could hear the Valkyries screaming, the witches riding their broomsticks, the ghouls scraping the mold of the nighthawks and the owl."

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A Way of Getting Even.

Hewitt—When I asked the old man for his daughter's hand he walked all over me.

Levert—Can't you have him arrested for violation of the traffic regulations?

THE YOUNG BRIDE'S FIRST DISCOVERY.

Their wedding tour had ended, and the young bride was soon to set down to what they hoped to be one long uninterrupted blissful honeymoon.

But, alas! the young bride's troubles soon began, when she tried to reduce the cost of living with cheap big baking powders.

She discovered that all the baking powder she bought was for her money, and it was not cheap baking powder, for the bulk of it was cheap materials which had no leavening power. Such powders will not make light, wholesome bread. And because of the absence of leavening gas, it requires from two to three times as much to raise cakes as biscuits as it does of Calumet Baking Powder.

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FEARED THE SCREECH OWL.

Woman Was Not Superstitious, but She Cut Short Her Visit to the Country.

"I'm not a bit superstitious, not in the least bit, but I don't ever want to hear another screech owl in the night," said a woman who remained in the country until the holidays. "Positively, I believe I should go mad if I ever heard that blood-curdling sound again."

You know they say in the country that if a screech owl comes crying around the house it's a sure sign of death. Of course, I've no faith in that sort of nonsense, but all the same, the coachman's mother died after the owl's first appearance.

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"Gh-h-h! I shiver now, whenever I think of that owl in the apple tree."

Cow With 'Em.

Young Lord Fairfax, in a brilliant after-dinner speech at the club house in Tuxedo, praised women.

"Down with the misogynist," said Lord Fairfax. "Down with the cynic-type of male brute who says with the Cornish fisherman."

"Wimmen's bad, em's bad, and when em's good, em's only muddin'."

HONEST CONFESSION.

A Doctor's Talk on Food.

There are no fairer set of men than the doctors, and when they find they have been in error they are usually apt to make honest and manly admission of the fact.

A case in point is that of a practitioner, one of the good old school, who lives in Texas. His plain, unvarnished tale needs no dressing up:

"I had always had an intense prejudice, which I can now see was unwarrantable and unreasonable, against all-muchly advertised foods." Hence, I never read a line of the many ads of Grape-Nuts, nor tested the food till last winter.

"While in Corpus Christi for my health, and visiting my youngest son, who has four of the rudest, healthiest little boys I ever saw, I ate my first dish of Grape-Nuts food for supper with my little grandsons.

"I became exceedingly fond of it and have eaten a package of it every week since, and find it a delicious, refreshing and strengthening food, leaving no ill effects whatever, causing no eruptions (with which I was formerly much troubled), no sense of fullness, nausea, nor distress of stomach in any way.

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Was Adam a sneak or a gentleman? Mr. George A. Crawford thinks a gentleman, and has written a very jolly pamphlet to prove it. Adam, it appears, has been misquoted. He is made to say: "The woman thou gavest me tempted me, and I did eat"—a remark unworthy the foremost man of time. What Adam did say was: "The woman thou gavest to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat." Mr.

Crawford prints the words "to be with me" in large and resonant capitals, feeling that they reflect credit upon Adam.

You see what the father of the race was driving at. Required-to-plot-be-

tween Paradise without Eve and Eve without Paradise, he stuck out for Eve. He was a gentleman. Had he been a sneak, he would have argued

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